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REPORT ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PRIVATE DEVELOPER REQUIREMENT FOR CIVIC ART (ITEM NO. 5, AGENDA OF MARCH 14, 2017)

On March 14, 2017, on a motion by Supervisor Solis, the Board of Supervisors (Board) instructed the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and the Arts Commission to draft an ordinance to establish a Private Developer Requirement for Civic Art in consultation with the Departments of Public Works, Regional Planning (DRP), and County Counsel. The motion was amended by Supervisors Ridley-Thomas and Barger to include community stakeholder engagement efforts to ensure the Board's longstanding tradition of seeking public comment.

In addition, the Board directed the Executive Director of the Arts Commission, in collaboration with the Department of Consumer and Business Affairs and DRP, to solicit input from community stakeholders in the form of roundtable discussions, public meetings and written testimony on the proposed Private Sector Percent for Art requirement. Also, to include comments and recommendations on appropriate exceptions and thresholds, and to consolidate findings and conclusions in a written report to the Board within 90 days.

The First Supervisorial District has granted an extension of 30 days, in order to allow for additional time to expand collaborative private developer community engagement efforts. The report will be forthcoming by July 14, 2017.

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